Remarks

The Office Action mailed December 23, 2003, and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated March 3, 2005, have been carefully reviewed and the foregoing amendment has been made in consequence thereof.

Claims 1-12 are cancelled. Claims 13-48 are pending. Claims 13-21 are rejected. Claims 22-48 are newly added. The fee for newly added Claims 22-48 was previously paid.

Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments to Claims 13 and 16-20 as indicated herein. A request that such amendments be entered is also included on Page 1 of the Amendment originally submitted June 23, 2004. Newly added Claims 22-48 are provided herein with the proper status identifier of "new".

The drawings submitted originally on June 23, 2004, were submitted to overcome an objection to the specification in the Office Action of December 23, 2003. The objection referred to is item number 2 on page 2 of the Office Action. No new matter was added to the application by the submission of the drawings. Accordingly, Applicants request the objection to the specification be withdrawn.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, all the claims now active in this application are believed to be in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and favorable action is respectfully solicited.

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